

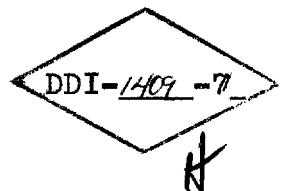
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Intelligence

SUBJECT: Distribution to OMB of Finished
Intelligence on Drugs and Narcotics

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1. The Office of Management and Budget is seeking to establish a unit working in the field of drug abuse. It will be some time before the unit can be formally put into operation since its function is related to certain legislative proposals. In the interim, Jim Frey and Dr. Schlesinger are working on an OMB task force on drugs. They have requested, through [redacted] all information now available and which will become available in the future on the subject of drugs and narcotics. The only specific request made so far is for IM 0507/70, 21 May 1970, "Turkey's Ability to Curb Opium Production," which was procured from your Planning Staff and forwarded.

2. The nature of the request obviously expresses a continuing requirement. If you have no objection, could OMB be placed on regular distribution for two copies of all finished intelligence products dealing with drugs and narcotics? If you agree, the appropriate documents can be sent directly to [redacted] to be passed to Mr. Frey and Dr. Schlesinger.

3. I feel that the requirements of regulations pertinent to dissemination of information to OMB will be met if my office is aware of the arrangement which regularly provides OMB with finished intelligence on the subject.

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John M. Clarke
Director of Planning,
Programming, and Budgeting

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